



## DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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Mr. Peter Dao U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Region IV Federal Facilities Branch 61 Forsyth Street SW Atlanta, GA 30303

Dear Mr. Dao:

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION TO THE SUMBISSIONS OF THE RI FOR OU 11 AND THE RI ADDENDUM FOR OU3 AT NAVAL AIR STATION

JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

An extension for the submittal of the remedial investigation (RI) for potential sources of contamination numbers 5,8/55,9,29,31, 32 & 50/Operable Unit 11 and Operable Unit 3 Remedial Investigation (OU3 RI) addendum in the 2014 Federal Facilities Agreement (FFA).

An extension for the submittal of the RI for the Operable Unit 11 is requested though December 30, 2014. This request is being made because:

- Initially the partnering team assumed an extended SI (1)would complete the work at these sites. After further investigation these sites will require an RI. The sites currently have land use controls but no records of decisions (RODS).
- (2) A full risk assessment and complete delineation is required at these sites.

All of these steps will require several months. The Navy is therefore requesting an extension through December 31, 2014 for the submittal of this draft document. Please see the first quarter update to the 2014 Federal Facilities Agreement Site Management Plan (FFASMP) Amendment attached.

An extension for the submittal of the draft RI addendum for Operable Unit 3 groundwater is requested through June 30, 2014. This request is being made because:

(1) As the partnering team has decided to optimize investigation and clean up at OU3 by using a holistic approach the team required that all work by all

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contractors including various ESTCP contractors and universities be included in this document as well as the vapor intrusion work being completed at the site.

(2) Numerous reports now have to be evaluated and incorporated into the document. This is a massive undertaking and will require significantly more time to complete this tasking.

All of these steps will require several months. The Navy is therefore requesting an extension through June 30, 2014 for the submittal of this draft document. Please see the first quarter update to the 2014 FFA SMP Amendment attached.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Adrienne Wilson at commercial (904) 542-6160 or email: adrienne.wilson@navy.mil.

Sincerely,

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By direction of the
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Enclosure: 2014 FFA SMPA 1st quarter update

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